Yellow warning
Wind

Between
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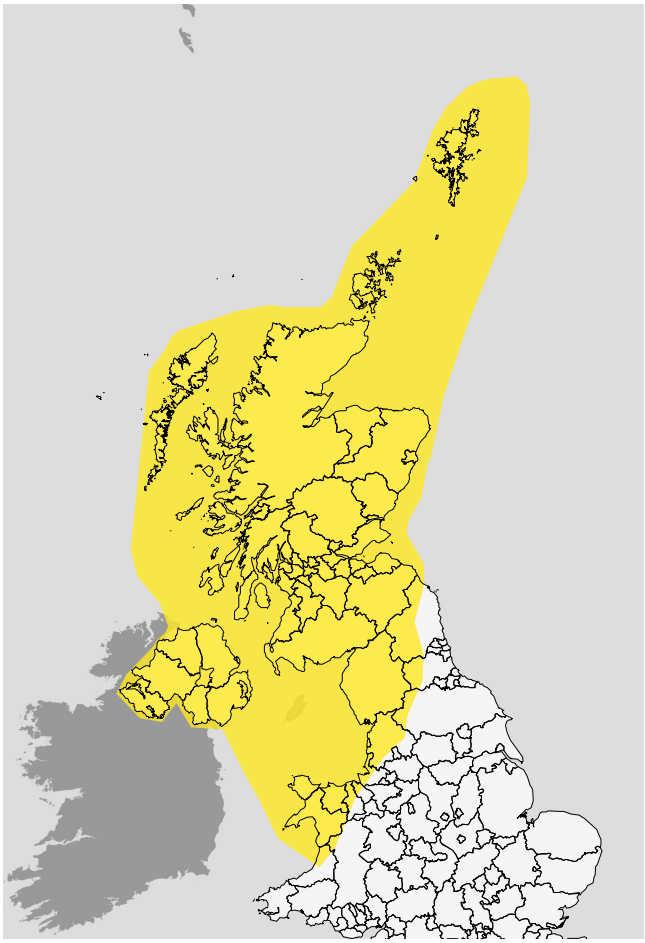
23:59 Sat 8 Feb 2020



Strong winds expected on Saturday afternoon and evening may lead to some disruption.

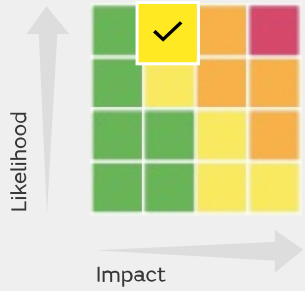
What to expect

- Some delays to travel by road, rail and ferry are expected, with conditions made worse by heavy rain, surface water and spray
- Delays for high-sided vehicles on exposed routes and bridges are very likely
- Some short term loss of power is likely
- Some coastal routes and sea fronts may be affected by spray and/or large waves

Further details

An area of strong winds will move eastwards across Scotland, Northern Ireland and parts of northern England and north Wales on Saturday afternoon and evening. Heavy rain, surface water and spray will exacerbate poor travel conditions, with some hill snow over the higher roads in Scotland.

Gusts of 50 to 60 mph are expected widely inland with exposed coasts and hills seeing gusts of around 70 mph for a time, and a possibility of gusts towards 75 mph during the late evening around Irish Sea coasts. The winds will ease from the west during the night.



High likelihood of low impacts

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Reason for update

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Central, Tayside & Fife
Angus Clackmannanshire Dundee Falkirk Fife Perth and Kinross Stirling

Grampian
Aberdeen Aberdeenshire Moray

Highlands & Eilean Siar
Eilean Siar Highland

North East England
Durham Northumberland

North West England
Blackburn with Darwen Blackpool Cumbria Lancashire Merseyside

Northern Ireland
County Antrim County Armagh County Down County Fermanagh County Londonderry County Tyrone

Orkney & Shetland
Orkney Islands Shetland Islands

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All regions & authorities affected (continued)

SW Scotland, Lothian Borders

Dumfries and Galloway East Lothian Edinburgh Midlothian Council Scottish Borders West Lothian

Strathclyde

Argyll and Bute East Ayrshire East Dunbartonshire East Renfrewshire Glasgow Inverclyde North Ayrshire North Lanarkshire Renfrewshire South Ayrshire South Lanarkshire West Dunbartonshire

Wales

Ceredigion Conwy Denbighshire Flintshire Gwynedd Isle of Anglesey Powys

Yorkshire & Humber

North Yorkshire

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